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Offered by:

SEN. RORABACK, 30th Dist.

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"AN ACT ESTABLISHING A DATE FOR THE SUBMISSION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY DECLARATIONS AND PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS BY FARMERS."

- 1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
- 2 internal references accordingly:
- 3 "Sec. 501. Section 12-504f of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2011*):
- 5 The tax assessor shall file annually, not later than sixty days after
- 6 the assessment date, except during a year in which a revaluation of all
- 7 real property, in accordance with section 12-62, becomes effective, not
- 8 later than the January thirty-first immediately following the
- 9 <u>assessment date</u>, with the town clerk a certificate for any land which
- 10 has been classified as farm land pursuant to section 12-107c, as forest
- 11 land pursuant to section 12-107d, as open space land pursuant to
- 12 section 12-107e or as maritime heritage land pursuant to section 12-
- 13 107g, which certificate shall set forth the date of the initial classification
- 14 and the obligation to pay the conveyance tax imposed by this chapter.

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Said certificate shall be recorded in the land records of such town. Any such classification of land shall be deemed personal to the particular owner who requests such classification and shall not run with the land. The town clerk shall notify the tax assessor of the filing in the land records of the sale of any such land. Upon receipt of such notice the tax assessor shall inform the new owner of the tax benefits of classification

of such land as farm land, forest land or open space land."

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